

# \* Ho! For \* Christmas!

Santa Claus is Here!

...WITH...

Toys, Dolls,  
Chinaware,  
Fancy Sets,  
Novelties,  
Bric-a-Brac,  
Cut Glass,



Silverware,  
Ornaments,  
Dinner Sets,  
Tea Sets,  
Toilet Sets,  
Etc., Etc.

...IN FACT...

Christmas Goods Innumerable.

OUR MAMMOTH STOCK GOES ON DISPLAY  
THIS WEEK

CALL AND SEE IT BEFORE MAKING YOUR PURCHASES

No Goods Charged. Every Sale Cash Until Christmas.

## KEATON'S

Combination Store.

### AROUND THE CITY

Mr. M. Maxine, of Aberdeen, was in the city Friday.

See our wireless telephone, McGowan & Pegues.

Mr. J. A. Robertson, of Deerbrough, was in the city yesterday.

Handsome umbrellas for ladies and gentlemen. Columbus Dry Goods Co.

Mr. D. R. Sanders and wife are home from a pleasant visit to New Orleans.

Dr. F. M. Vaughan, of the Dunbar neighborhood, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. C. Lawrence, of Crawford, spent several days of the past week in the city.

Mr. Ed Passino arrived yesterday to spend the Christmas holidays with home folks.

A thousand and one hat pins, some in solid gold at Buder Brothers, 417 Main street.

Finest sterling silver Graham goods in fine tableware at Buder Brothers, 417 Main street.

Many new style hand bags in all kinds of leather and kid at Buder Brothers, 417 Main street.

See our steel davenport and leather couches before you buy a Xmas present. McGowan & Pegues.

A music cabinet, or ladies writing desk makes a handsome Xmas present, at McGowan & Pegues.

Mrs. W. H. Foote, of Gulfport, is the guest of Capt. and Mrs. H. D. Foote at their home on the Highlands.

Dainty, delicate lace stick pins of all styles and prices to be found at Buder Brothers, 417 Main street.

Get a chafing dish for your wife for an Xmas present. Plenty of them at 417 Main street, Buder Brothers.

A handsome China closet or Chiffonier will make your wife or mother a useful present, at McGowan & Pegues.

Watches for men, boys, ladies and girls in all prices and styles in the handsome store of Buder Brothers, 417 Main street.

Miss Frankie Hill, of Aberdeen, has been spending the past few days in the city as the guest of Mrs. Joseph Donoghue.

Plain gold wedding rings, carved bands, signet rings and all kinds of gold rings at Buder Brothers, 417 Main street.

Mr. H. B. Paxton, who for some years was a resident of Columbus but who is now living at Wilmet, Miss., was in the city Friday.

President A. A. Kincannon, of the Industrial Institute and College, returned yesterday from a business visit to Noxubee county.

Don't you want a gramophone? Fine ones from five dollars up to fifty dollars. All kinds of records too! Buder Brothers, 417 Main street.

Jacobs candy has that freshness which leads one to believe it was "made last night." Mayo and Weaver received a large shipment yesterday.

Miss Mamie Locke of Mayhew, who for the past few days has been the charming guest of relatives in Brooksville, returned to her home yesterday after quite a delightful visit.

Mr. J. Billups Harris, who is representing the interests of Hayward, Harris & Goldstein at Macon this winter, has been spending the past few days with relatives in the city.

Messrs. Brent & Gardner have opened a restaurant two doors north of Messrs. Brownlee Bros. store on South Market street. This section of the city is rapidly becoming a business centre, quite a number of substantial brick stores having recently been erected there.

Rev. R. O. Brown, who during the past year has had charge of the Methodist church at Maida Station and who next year goes to Batesville, spent Friday in the city enroute to his new appointment. While here he was the guest of his brother, Mr. O. P. Brown.

### Subscription Contest Ended.

The Subscription Contest begun by this paper on October the 1st, ended yesterday and we take pleasure in mentioning the names of the nine successful candidates this morning. They are in the order in which they won premiums the following: Miss Haydee Vaughan 1st; Miss Lillian Jewell Reid, 2nd; Miss Sula Dodson 3d; Mrs. Rama Egger 4th; Miss Annie Fuqua 5th; Miss Frankie Nash 6th; Miss Lottie Savage 7th; Miss Lucy Stanley 8th; Miss Olga Bell 9th.

The contest has been a great success from the first. It has resulted in two hundred and fifty new subscribers being added to our lists and our entire subscription list being renewed. THE DISPATCH takes this opportunity to return to the several candidates and their friends its sincere appreciation and thanks for the efforts in our behalf and to assure them that they will ever be appreciated. The prizes will be awarded as fast as the candidates make their selections and we hope to have all of them placed before Christmas. The final count yesterday at noon was as follows:

Miss Haydee Vaughn, Caledonia, 3817  
Miss Lillian Jewell Reid, 2788  
Miss Sula Dodson, Caledonia, 2280  
Mrs. Rama Egger, City, 2079  
Miss Annie Fuqua, Caledonia, 1670  
Miss Frankie Nash, City, 1620  
Miss Lottie Savage, Caledonia, 1041  
Miss Lucy Stanley, City, 803  
Miss Olga Bell, Stafford, Ala., 796  
Miss Rosalee Holcomb, Steens, 792  
Mrs. Mona Smith, City, 452  
Miss Eloise Caine, Caledonia, 428  
Miss Bessie Will Johnson, City, 410  
Miss Mary Brownlee, Steens, 328

Walking canes with gold and silver heads, also wooden, crooked heads. Buder Brothers, 417 Main street.

### Card of Thanks.

Dr. and Mrs. John A Browne return their most sincere and heartfelt thanks to their many true and loved friends of Columbus and the surrounding country for the very generous support given their granddaughter, Miss Lillian Jewell Reid, of Washington, D. C., in the great ballot contest of THE DISPATCH, which closed yesterday.

Gold and silver thimbles for ladies and girls at Buder Bros., 417 Main street.

The many friends of Miss Frankie Kincannon, who has been very ill for several weeks past, will regret to learn that she suffered a relapse Friday, and is now in a rather serious condition. THE DISPATCH hopes that there will soon be a change for the better and that she will begin to improve.

Cuff or sleeve buttons in solid gold, sterling silver and fine rolled plate at Buder Brothers, 417 Main street.

## BLOOD POISON

Bone Pains, Itching, Scabby Skin Diseases, Swellings, Carbuncles, Scrofula

Permanently cured by taking Botanic Blood Balm. It destroys the active poison in the blood. If you have aches and pains in bones, back and joints, itching scabby skin, blood feels hot or thin, swollen glands, boils on the face, eruptions on the skin, itching in the mouth, nose, throat, or offensive eruptions, Copper-colored spots or blots on skin, all run-down, or nervous, I cure you on any part of the body. Hair or eyebrows falling out, Carbuncles or Boils, take Botanic Blood Balm, guaranteed to cure even the worst and most deep-seated cases where doctors, purgatives, and hot springs fail. Heals all sores, stops all aches and pains, reduces all swellings, makes you pure and rich, completely changing the entire body into a clean, healthy condition. B. B. B. has cured to say cured thousands of cases of Blood Poison even after reaching the last stage.

**Cancer Cured.** Botanic Blood Balm Cures Cancer of all kinds. Suppurating Swellings, Eating Sores, Tumors, ulcers. It kills the Cancer Poison and heals the Sores or worst Cancer perfectly. If you have a pre-steady Pimple, Wart, Swelling, Sore, Stinging Pain, take Botanic Blood Balm and they will disappear before they develop into Cancer. Many apparently hopeless cases of Cancer cured by taking Botanic Blood Balm.

**OUR GUARANTEE.**—Take a large bottle of Botanic Blood Balm B. B. B. as directed on label, and when the right quantity is taken a cure is certain, sure and lasting. If not cured your money will be promptly refunded without argument.

Botanic Blood Balm (B. B. B.) is Pleasant and safe to take. Thoroughly tested for 30 years. Composed of Pure Botanic Ingredients. Strengthens Weak Kidneys and Stomach, cures Dyspepsia. Sold by all Druggists, Etc. For Large Bottle with complete directions for home cure. Sample sent Free by writing Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, Ga. Describe your trouble, and special free medical advice, to suit your case, will be sent in sealed letter.

## The Xmas Carver



Should be of the finest tempered steel, capable of taking the keenest edge, and the handle should be in keeping with the blade. Here are some noble Christmas gifts for the table. Full Carving Sets and Table Cutlery in fancy silk lined boxes. Boys' Tool Chests and Pocket Knives are prominent candidates for your favor.

## Sherrod Hardware Company

## C. F. SHERROD,

...DEALER IN...

**PARTIES HAVING MONEY** to invest would do well to see me. I have nice new cottages, well located and all rented. Will sell so you can make good interest on the investment, and property will always be worth the money.

## Real Estate

**IF YOU WANT TO BUY A** lot on installments to build a home I can sell you one in any part of the city.

COLUMBUS, MISS.

WE HAVE JUST RECEIVED A CARLOAD

## Fine: Mules: and: Horses

This stock was bought right and will be sold right. Call and see them and get prices before buying elsewhere. Your business will be appreciated.

## The Eclipse Livery, Feed and Sale Stable,

NELSON HUTCHINSON, Proprietor.  
EUGENE EGGER, Manager.

COLUMBUS, MISS.

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SUPERIOR QUALITY.

EXQUISITELY PERFUMED.

Compounded and purified by a newly discovered process that improves beauty and is harmless as water. Produces a beautiful, soft, velvety appearance, which remains until washed off. Ladies who use Nadine Face Powder are sure the complexion will be fresh and lovely at close of the evening. Unequaled in quality and quantity.

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NATIONAL TOILET CO., Paris, Tenn.

Sold in Columbus by MAYO & WEAVER and all leading druggists.

Miss Sue May Lincoln has returned from St. Louis, where she went to attend the marriage of her brother, Mr. N. L. Lincoln, to Miss Augusta Helm Parker, which happy event was solemnized there last Wednesday.

Vases of every size and quality, from cutglass to cute little china ones for violets. Buder Brothers, 417 Main street.

Finest quadruple plate goods in all designs at Buder Brothers, 417 Main street.

See our Moquette and Smyrna rugs just in. Columbus Dry Goods Co.

Fresh Prunes,  
Pickled Pig's Feet,  
Currants,  
Seeded Raisins,  
Fine Sauer Kraut

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"Quick Delivery Grocers."

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Turkeys, Fish,  
Oysters, Game,  
Sausage, Cutlets,  
Soups, Steaks,  
Roasts, Chops,  
Weinewurst, Etc.

EARLY FOR CHRISTMAS

...WITH...

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SPECIAL PREPARATIONS FOR XMAS

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But Our Price—  
That's Our Feature.

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